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ARTILLERY REGIMENT, 197TH INFANTRY DIVISION

YU-KUAN-CHEN, CHINA

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1. [REDACTED] REVEALS AN ARTILLERY REGIMENT ONE NM SOUTHWEST OF YU-KUAN-CHEN. THE INSTALLATION CONTAINS A BARRACKS AND STORAGE AREA, A FENCED BARRACKS/SUPPORT AREA, AND TWO DISPERSED FENCED PROBABLE AMMUNITION STORAGE AREAS. THE BARRACKS AND STORAGE AREA COMPRISES 11 BARRACKS, 2 BARRACKS/ADMINISTRATION BUILDINGS, AN ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 2 H-SHAPED MESS HALLS, AN AUDITORIUM/GYMNASIUM, 24 STORAGE/SUPPORT BUILDINGS, SEVERAL FOUNDATIONS AND A SUBCALIBER FIRING RANGE. THE BARRACKS/SUPPORT AREA COMPRISES 17 BARRACKS, AND ADMINISTRATION/SUPPORT BUILDING, 2 STORAGE BUILDINGS AND 5 SUPPORT BUILDINGS. EACH OF THE DISPERSED STORAGE AREAS CONTAIN THREE STORAGE BUILDINGS. TWENTY-FIVE PROBABLE 122-MM HOWITZERS WITH 22 PROBABLE AT-L TRACKED PRIME MOVERS AND 3 TRUCKS WERE OBSERVED IN THE BARRACKS AND STORAGE AREA.
2. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE WAS PROVIDED BY AT LEAST 10 KH MISSIONS.
3. [REDACTED] REVEALS THE AREA TO CONTAIN APPROXIMATELY 13 BARRACKS, ONE ADMINISTRATION, 2 MESS HALLS, ONE AUDITORIUM/GYMNASIUM, 2 VEHICLE MAINTANENCE BUILDINGS AND NUMEROUS SUPPORT BUILDINGS. IMMEDIATELY EAST OF THE BARRACKS AREA IS A SECURED STORAGE AREA CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 20 STORAGE BUILDINGS. THIRTY-SIX POSSIBLE HOWITZERS WITH PRIME MOVERS ARE ALSO

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4. DIA (U) ORDER OF BATTLE CHINESE COMMUNIST ARMY, 1 OCTOBER 1964, CARRIES THE 197TH INFANTRY DIVISION OF THE 66TH ARMY AT CHIN-HUANG-TAO. CHIN-HUANG-TAO IS LOCATED 13 NM EAST OF THE ARTILLERY REGIMENT AT YU-KUAN-CHEN.

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